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5 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
6 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
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8 DAVID LEE MIMS

9 Petitioner,

2:15-cv-02186-JAD-PAL

10 vs.

ORDER

11 BRIAN WILLIAMS, *et al.*,

12 Respondents.
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15 This action is a petition for a writ of habeas corpus by Nevada prisoner David Lee Mims.
16 On November 19, 2015, the court ordered Mims to show cause why the action should not be
17 dismissed on account of his failure to obtain from the court of appeals permission to file a successive
18 habeas petition. *See* Order entered November 19, 2015 (ECF 3). The court granted Mims until
19 December 21, 2015, to make such showing. *See id.*

20 On December 21, 2015, Mims filed a document entitled “Request for Voluntary Dismissal
21 Without Prejudice” (ECF 5). In that document, Mims does not show that he has received permission
22 from the court of appeals to file a successive petition.

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Dated: December 28, 2015.

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